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SUBJECT: EMBASSY ROME HAS RESCINDED IRANIAN AMBASSADOR'S  
JULY 4 INVITATION

REF: STATE 65724

(SBU) Per ref instructions, post called the Iranian Embassy in Rome June 25 to inform the mission that the USG was rescinding the invitation to Iranian Ambassador Fereidoun Haghbin to attend the Embassy's Independence Day celebration. The ambassador's secretary said they had already read about the decision in the press and were expecting the call.  
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